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For : APRIL- A NOVEL PROTEIN WITH GROWTH EFFECTS

New York, New York
April 9, 2001

Hon. Commissioner
of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☐ a Preliminary Amendment;
☒ a Reply to Office Action; ☐ a Supplemental Amendment; ☐
☐ a substitute Specification; ☐ a Declaration; ☐ a
Supplemental Declaration; ☐ a Power of Attorney; ☐ an
Associate Power of Attorney; ☐ formal drawings; to be filed
in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

☒ A fee for additional claims is not required.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	-	*	=	X \$ 18 =	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	-	**	=	X \$ 80 =	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$270 =	\$
					TOTAL \$

* If less than 20, insert 20.

** If less than 3, insert 3.

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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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EXTENSION FEE

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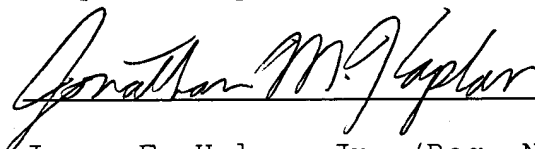
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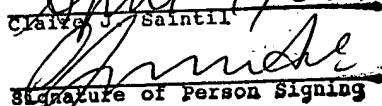
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